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Victorians Get Wings

CLARESHOLM, Alta. (AP)—Airmen from Canada, Britain and the United States were included in the fifth graduating class from the No. 15 service flying training school here who received their wings today.

Graduates included: R. V. Anderson, J. A. Luke, T. A. G. Pearce, J. T. Robson, William Thompson, all of Victoria; K. J. Robinson, Nelson; J. B. Shepherd, and J. E. Thomson, both of Nanaimo.

Baby Unscathed

FERNIE, B.C. (CP)—Only two persons, including an infant baby, escaped unscathed when a big Calgary-bound Greyhound bus plunged through a flood-weakened bridge over Lizard Creek near here Tuesday night, and today police sought the body of a woman believed drowned when she plunged into the creek in a fit of hysteria after being extricated from the wreck.

Ten of the 16 passengers in the bus were brought to a hospital.

Prisoners to Work

LONDON (AP)—Lord Moyne, Colonial Secretary, today told the House of Lords the government was arranging to put 28,000 Italian war prisoners to work on British farms.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

A Suggestion—Buy a Christma gift or card at Committee for Medical Aid for China office and help China. Seeds for garden lovers, lavender for sachets, knitting needle safeguards, etc. Remember China at Christmas: 737 Pandora Ave. ***

Don't miss the splendid mystery comedy, "Mystery at Greenfingers," at the Victoria Little Theatre on Dec. 4 and 5. Tickets on sale at the Marionette Library, \$1.00. ***

Reformation also was necessitated by the German armored counter-attack northeast of the Tobruk corridor, which closed this avenue for the time being.

Forces holding the corridor either retired to El Gobi line or toward Tobruk, which still stands as strong as ever, and holds much of the land taken beyond the perimeter.

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This morning (Tuesday) the new line was formed, with every unit in its place.

The wounded have been taken into Egypt, the more seriously ill plane.

Much captured German material, including foodstuffs,

which were excellent as the Germans are eating well, were placed in desert automobiles and with

seized telegraphic apparatus was carried back to El Gobi line.

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Henry Ford Says
World Federation To Come From War

By DAVID J. WILKIE

DETROIT (AP)—Henry Ford said in an interview here today, that out of the war in Europe will come a federation of the world in which "all barriers of nationality will be levelled and the peoples of the world live in common peace and prosperity."

It will be a federation in which politics will be definitely discarded; one in which a universal currency, a universal economy and a universal market will prevail, he asserted.

Unless such a federation is established, the 78-year-old industrialist added, the present war will be only a dress rehearsal for another and more terrible conflict.

"The United States is a practical example of federation. We federated because it was the only way to save ourselves from ruin. Europe is finding she cannot live unfederated today," Ford said.

NEED US BACKING

"If the United States puts its influence behind it, the same type of agreement can be arrived at in Europe. No country should be forced in, but every country soon would see the advantage to be gained by voluntarily coming in. They would need no armies and there would be no war because nations would all be neighbors in the same federation. This in turn would lead to a universal currency and a universal economy and a developed industry that would have all the world for its market."

The point I make is that the time is here to start the federation. The last prophecy along this line was made just 100 years ago by Tennyson. His "Locksley Hall" was a marvelous forecast of things to come. He forecast the invention of the airplane as an instrument of peace. Then he saw it turned into a terrible tool of war. After that he saw the war drums become silent in the parliament of man, the federation of the world." Everything has come in the order he saw it right up to the present time. All that remains to come is the parliament of man, the federation of the world." I think the time is here, and I think America has a big part in it."

WANT PEACE, PROSPERITY

Mr. Ford said that every country that took part in the war "asked for something and got it, except the United States. We asked for nothing and got nothing. We are not asking for anything this time. We lend and lease materials; men and ships without thought of repayment. But I think the time has come when we have the right to demand something in return and the only repayment the United States can ask or accept is something that insures peace and prosperity to the world."

Citing the United States as a "practical example of federation," Mr. Ford said:

"What we have done the people of Europe can do. The people of Europe are just as good as we are. They will find anywhere. They are no more warlike than we are. But they are divided and kept divided by men who profit by divisions and wars. But if Europe were federated, the people who profit by war would never again get a foothold: they would have nothing to work on."

Story Learned From Prisoners
Sydney Sank Raider After Herself Crippled

MELBOURNE (AP)—The 9,400-ton German surface raider Steiermark scored a direct hit on the 6,900-ton Australian cruiser Sydney in an engagement Nov. 13, and there was set fatally ablaze by a broadside from the sinking warship. German survivors said today.

The lost vessel, saying "so gallant a tradition is imperishable in our annals and its most effective perpetuation is by replacement."

Until another can be built, the Commonwealth is expected to borrow or buy a cruiser from Britain.

Tributes to the Sydney men were paid by the Prime Minister, Navy Minister J. M. Makin, Lord Gowrie, Governor-General, and the Japanese minister to Australia.

Construction of the Steiermark emphasized to rumors a German pocket battleship was prowling the south Pacific and had been sighted off the Galapagos Islands by U.S. Navy patrols.

The Australian government announced Tuesday the Sydney was missing and presumed lost after an engagement in which it destroyed the Steiermark.

No survivors of the Sydney's complement of 645 have been reported. It was disclosed the German raider flew the Norwegian flag when the Sydney first approached her.

The mystery surrounding the missing Australian cargo steamship Mareeba of 3,472 tons was also solved by an announcement she had been sunk between Ceylon and Sumatra by the Steiermark. Relatives were advised 48 members of the crew were missing.

Prime Minister John Curtin gave this story of the Sydney's sinking after questioning of the German prisoners.

The Sydney was on patrol duty some 300 miles west of Carnarvon when she encountered the Kormoran.

RAIDER HAD ADVANTAGE

The initial advantage lay with the German since she was disguised as a merchantman and her identity had to be established before she could be attacked. The encounter took place shortly before dusk.

In the absence of direct evidence, it can only be assumed that some factor prevented the Sydney from making use of her aircraft for reconnaissance from a distance.

The Sydney closed on the suspect, cleared for action.

As soon as the Kormoran was convinced her identity was known she opened simultaneously with the first salvo from the Sydney.

She struck the Sydney on the bridge, damaging the central control and starting a fire.

The Sydney closed the range, crippling and setting the enemy on fire.

The enemy abandoned ship and she blew up.

German survivors saw the Sydney disappear over the horizon with fire blazing amidships.

That was the last seen of the cruiser.

REPLACEMENT PLANNED

In the city of Sydney, where flag flew at half mast, the Lord Mayor opened a fund to replace

New Director

LONDON (CP)—C. J. Radcliffe has been appointed Director-General of the Ministry of Information, succeeding Sir Walter Monckton, who has become coordinator of information services at Cairo. Mr. Radcliffe was formerly Sir Walter's deputy in the ministry, which is headed by Brendan Bracken.

Trying to Forget Nightmare Flight

OTTAWA — P. O. G. A. McKernan of Calgary will be home for Christmas, and he is going to try to forget that nightmare trip in a bomber over the Ruhr Valley that has grounded him for a year.

Right now, McKernan looks like a typical, clean-cut airman, but, as he puts it, "you should have seen him a few months ago." At that time, his hair had been burnt off, his hands and arms were masses of blisters, his left shoulder was smashed, and his right leg was useless.

He collected those little "souvenirs" when his plane "copped a packet of flak" on a bombing trip last July 16. The starboard engine caught fire and the flames gradually spread to the rest of the ship.

The pilot thought they would have to bail out, but McKernan argued him out of it. "We're going to fly this comet until we can be served with wine sauce," were his sentiments, so the six stuck to the flaming craft.

They jettisoned everything loose in the ship as it gradually lost altitude, attempting to make the English coast, and what they didn't jettison, the flames ate up, including the navigating maps.

"Why some Jerry didn't come up and finish us off is more than I know," he said, telling how the aircraft crept back over occupied France, lighting up the sky like a searchlight. "We just kept our fingers crossed and prayed."

"When we finally did see the station lights," he said, "the relief almost snapped us. The wireless operator jumped up and down while the rest of us were just gibbering away."

"Then we started signaling we were coming in. Tommy, the wireless operator, was slowly resting at his post just in front of me. But he kept sending 'D' for 'Donald' coming home, awful cold, fix us a hot drink."

"When we finally got over the field we were only 30 feet in the air and when he nosed down for a crash landing the plane exploded. Three of us were thrown clear, the other three were cremated."

AIR CASUALTIES

OTTAWA (CP)—The R.C.A.F.'s 126th official casualty list increases the air force dead and missing reported officially since the start of the war to 1,063.

THE MOVEMENT

The great bulk of this movement was made up of hundreds on hundreds of R.A.F. officers and men, many of them posted to schools in the Dominion for training under the Commonwealth Air Training Scheme. Some are bound for the United States for training or for special

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1941

Favors Coalition

LIBERALS IN CONVENTION IN VANCOUVER yesterday decided to place their mark of approval on the widespread demand for a coalition ministry in British Columbia. The size of the majority recorded for the resolution recommending this departure from traditional procedure in provincial affairs would appear to reflect the public's attitude of mind in a generous degree. It is right and proper that it should. Nothing that has been said or written since October 21 has changed, or could change, one salient and compelling fact: The government party succeeded in filling only 21 of the 48 seats of which the Legislature is composed. The Co-operative Commonwealth Federation having polled the largest percentage of the popular vote elected 14 members and the Conservatives ran third with 12. It may still be argued, as it already has been argued, that neither opposition group would have been so foolish as to contribute to a government defeat on anything but a major issue in the circumstances of these times.

While neither Mr. Winch nor Mr. Maitland would desire to accept the responsibility for forcing another appeal to the people—a contingency not to be overlooked—a situation might conceivably develop that would justify such action. In the meantime, of course, stable and well-ordered government in the province of British Columbia would be but a memory. We have seen what has happened since the election; it is this condition of affairs and all it connotes which yesterday's convention decided to remedy by its recommendation for the establishment of a coalition ministry. How or when that recommendation will be implemented may be a little clearer before this is read. As matters stand from the purely internal point of view, Premier Patullo is no longer the leader of the British Columbia Liberals, no longer the party chief. To replace him the Vancouver gathering chose Mr. John Hart, one of Canada's ablest Ministers of Finance, and a close colleague of Mr. Patullo in four Liberal ministries. But deposition of the Premier from the party leadership does not affect his constitutional status; he is still the head of the largest group of elected representatives in the Legislature and he is strictly within his rights in meeting the House at its formal opening tomorrow in that capacity. None better than he, however, understands the invidious position in which a majority of his own party has now placed him.

We deeply regret that so many circumstances have combined to present Mr. Patullo with what, after all, is a personal as well as a party crisis. That it should have come at this stage of a long record of fine public service is all the more unfortunate. And we can testify to the value of that service, not only because we are very dear to the seat of government, as it were, but also because the files of this newspaper reveal a wealth of tribute in language requiring no interpretation. There have been occasions when we have disagreed with Mr. Patullo on matters of public policy; we have employed equally unmistakable language to record that disapproval, because freedom of expression is still a treasured prerogative in this fair land of ours. In whatever service may be left for him, however, all British Columbians know that after the present state of affairs has been clarified, Mr. Patullo will still be a valiant soldier in every cause which calls for the services to which he has given the best of his life.

Automobile Insurance

COMPULSORY AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE as a subject of public debate has now come to be regarded as a "hardy perennial" with little apparent intent to do anything about it. This is all the more reason why the new Legislature which will commence its business tomorrow should find the inclination and time to discuss it and all its implications. The Independent Insurance Agents' Association of British Columbia tells us that there are several hundred persons in this province who cannot get automobile insurance "and there may be others who have insurance that should not have it." This organization intends to present its views to the Attorney-General and explains: "It may be that, profiting from others' experience, we can recommend something to our government better than heretofore has been tried." To which the Vancouver Sun properly and pointedly adds:

"Well, if anything better can be offered, it is about time it came to the top. Under the present law a motorist need take no insurance until he has been involved in an accident causing \$100 or more damage to person or property. But what protection is there against him before this accident? None at all. Our law very effectively closes the stable door after the horse has got out. It ought to be obvious that no one should be allowed to drive a motor vehicle unless he is financially responsible for any damage he may cause. If he can not prove that he has independent means he should be required to secure the insurance which will make him responsible."

We are told that only 25 per cent of the motor vehicles operated in British Columbia

are so insured. Do the other 65 per cent include those "hundreds" of whom the insurance men speak? So asks our mainland contemporary: "Why could not those 'hundreds' secure insurance? Could it be that in the eyes of the insurance companies some of them are not good risks? And are not many of them closed out by the stiff insurance rates?" The point which calls for decision, therefore, is whether the liability and property insurance regulations of British Columbia are drawn for the protection of the public—"or for the financial comfort of the insurance companies."

In any event, the Legislature should deal with this whole problem of automobile insurance, for, as the Sun asks, "what protection have pedestrians, or the dependents of those pedestrians, when they are struck down and injured or killed by a driver who has no insurance and no financial means of paying damages? What comfort is it to know that the driver who did it must hereafter go and get insurance against the next time he hits somebody? The next time is of no interest to the deceased."

Example for Canada

DURING THE SECOND YEAR OF THE war, "small savings" turned into the service of Great Britain's national effort by the "little people" amounted to no less than the equivalent of \$2,500,000,000, an increase of 300 per cent over the preceding 12 months.

In making the announcement, Sir Robert Kindersley, chairman of the National Savings Committee, explained that this highly-satisfactory total was made up of savings certificates, defence bonds, and savings deposits. In other words, as well as being taxed to a greater extent than the people of any other country, the defenders of the island fortress are still digging down deeper and deeper into their pockets. They are battling for survival and mean to win no matter what the cost.

Are we in Canada, as yet virtually unaffected by the real impact of the war in its direct physical sense, measuring up to Britain's standard of lending for victory? How many of us realize that unless we buy more War Savings Certificates, for example, the time may come when national necessity will require us to do under some form of compulsion what we ought now to be doing voluntarily in our own and the country's interest? Make no mistake about it; Canada's expenditure on the war so far this year has considerably exceeded the estimates. And if Minister of Finance Isley cannot have the use of millions of dollars now lying idle, if their owners do not realize that they are retarding the war effort as well as denying themselves the benefit of investing such monies in these certificates by not putting them to work, a way will be found to enlist them by other means.

Coffee

IT IS A MATTER BOTH OF CONJECTURE and dispute as to whether coffee originated in Ethiopia or Arabia. However, the Arabs back in the 6th century were the first to cultivate it seriously, and to this day wherever you find Arabs and water, there you will find the stimulating beverage being brewed. But like so many other things, coffee supremacy has shifted to the New World. Americans—north, south and central—grow more coffee and drink more of it than any other people on earth. Latin America in recent years has been responsible for almost 85 per cent of the coffee supply in the whole world. One-half the coffee in the world is consumed by the people of North America. Taking the western hemisphere as a whole, coffee consumption here is 60 per cent of the world's total. "Another cup of coffee" seems to be the constant demand in English, Spanish and Portuguese on this side of the ocean.

Notes

Skill to do comes of doing—Emerson.

Trade, like blood, should circulate freely—John Dryden (1631-1700).

In order that you may please you ought to be forgetful of yourself—Ovid.

A movie producer says the western thriller never ends unhappy. He probably means it never ends—unhappily.

SIR WILFRID'S GREATNESS

From Ottawa Journal

It is not without significance that the outstanding memories of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, recalled everywhere this week in the observance of the centenary of his birth, are of his kindness. Laurier the great statesman has his place in the books and belongs in history. But Laurier lives in the hearts of all who ever knew him because he was simple, kind and courteous—and perhaps those qualities as much as any other gave him real greatness.

Among Canadian newspapermen are many, of course, who knew Sir Wilfrid Laurier, and when they recall the old days the stories they tell of him almost invariably are of the little things that illustrated his thoughtfulness, his consideration of others. In his friendships and in his relations with the press there never was any party line. And he was the friend of everyone with whom he came in contact. He liked people—race and religion never affected his judgments—and people liked him.

Journalists are not much given to hero-worship, but every one of them who knew him had for Sir Wilfrid a deep personal affection. To them and a host of others there comes this week a picture of that tall, slender, distinguished Canadian whose golden oratory could move great crowds, whose every thought was for his native land, who was occupied most of his life with great affairs but never was too busy to be kind. When Sir Wilfrid walked on the streets of Ottawa, as he often did, each man as he passed instinctively raised his hat.

As Eliot Sees It

Editor's Note—At a recent Town Meeting of the Air in New York, Major George Fielding Eliot, noted authority on military affairs, together with three other speakers, took part in a discussion on the subject of "Must We Fight Japan"? The inquiry, of course, was directed to the United States. Below is a verbatim report of part of his speech:

ALL-EMBRACING

THES MILITARY AND POLITICAL situation in the Far East cannot be intelligently surveyed except as part of the military and political situation of the world as a whole. The Far East is not in a watertight compartment, separated from the rest of the world by insurmountable barriers. What happens in East Asia and the Pacific affects immediately what happens in Europe and America.

The facts are these: The free nations of the world are engaged in a death-struggle with Nazi Germany, a struggle in which all the fighting power they can muster will be none too much. Force of circumstances has brought Germany into collision with Soviet Russia, which thereby becomes an ally of the democratic powers. The United States is moving step by step toward active belligerency.

While this goes on, in the Pacific we find that a succession of Japanese governments, having allied themselves with Nazi Germany, have, alternately by bluff and bluster and by stalling tactics, contrived to tie up in the Far East a large part of the best troops of the Soviet Union, together with considerable air forces; two-thirds of the United States fleet; the whole of the Netherlands navy; and strong forces of British, American, and Dutch troops, including air units. In order to protect vital lines of communication and sources of supply from possible Japanese aggression, these forces sit idly by, scattered from Alaska to Singapore and from Vladivostok to Hawaii, doing nothing, while in Europe, the Atlantic, and the Middle East, a struggle goes on which may affect the whole future of western civilization.

Under such forceful circumstances, the forces thus immobilized might turn the tide of battle whether it be on the steppes of Russia, in the passes of the Caucasus, in the Mediterranean, in North Africa, or along the vital supply lines of the North Atlantic.

SHADES OF ITALY

It is intolerable, from the military point of view purely, that such a diversion should be permitted to continue. The situation is quite similar to that created by the nonbelligerence of Italy during the first nine months of the war, whereby important French and British forces were held idle by the mere threat of what Italy might do. When Italy came to convert these threats into actuality it was discovered how false and futile menace Italian fighting power had been.

Japan is in no position to fight a war with a group of major opponents. Her army is sadly out of date, having not even one fully armored division, and being short of tanks, armored cars, anti-tank and anti-aircraft artillery, modern engineering equipment, and modern communication devices. It is having an increasing lack of success against the Chinese. As for Japanese air power, it is almost nonexistent. Japan's total aircraft production capacity is but 250 planes per month, including training planes; this figure includes both army and navy aircraft. It is inadequate to sustain an active fighting force of even five hundred planes against real opposition. The Japanese navy is good, but inferior in strength to that of the United States, and hopelessly handicapped by lack of air support.

The geographical position of Japan adds to her weakness. She is entirely dependent on foreign sources of supply for many classes of raw materials; she draws on the mainland of Asia for part of her food.

JAPAN'S DIFFICULTIES

She has strong forces on the mainland,

CANADA DIVIDED?

From Red Deer Advocate

Canada, like Gaul, is divided into three parts, although the divisions are not geographic. There is the highly vocal minority which is engaged in damning everything and everybody connected with Canada's war effort, on the ground of inadequacy. There is that other minority which is convinced that this government is making a magnificent and effective effort and is doing everything humanly possible to win the war; and then there is a third group, an ever-growing majority, which occupies a middle position. This group feels that the federal government has done a great deal in changing the country over in a comparatively short time from a peacetime basis to a wartime basis. The members of this majority think, too, that most of the things done by the government have been admirable, but they feel, and feel keenly, that what has been done has not been sufficient—that much more could and should be done. These people do not want an election. They emphatically do not want to put Mr. Hanson in place of Mr. King, but they do want the country as a whole mobilized under a militant leadership to go all out for victory. They want the government to use the industrial and human resources of the country to the limit. They want voluntary recruiting, with its waste and inefficiency, replaced by a proper system of national selective service in which every able-bodied man from 18 to 60 is included. They want to put everything Canada has into the pool. This group is growing in size and importance each day, and it can only be a question of time until the government is forced by pressure of public opinion to put these measures into effect.

CENSORSHIP IN IRELAND

(Dublin Correspondence in the New Statesman, by James Bride.)

The censorship is troublesome. It is administered by a small committee of devout men without any pronounced literary affinities. Like most religiously-minded laymen, they go much further than the rulers of the Church in their duties as watchdogs on public morals. To show that they must have some cripplng effect on the development of Irish letters, it is only necessary to quote some of the writers whose works may not be read in Eire. Their names are Bernard Shaw, George Moore, James Joyce, Liam O'Flaherty, W. B. Yeats, Lennox Robinson, J. M. Synge, Sean O'Faolain, Sean O'Casey, Frank O'Connor, Brinsley MacNamara, Paul Vincent Carroll, Kate O'Brien, F. R. Higgins, Rearden Connor, Elizabeth Connor, Austin Clarke, Louis Untermeyer, and other names. A novel of Kate O'Brien's was banned the other day on the strength of a single sentence.

Now at least a dozen of these names are known throughout the civilized world. For any body of individuals to decide what they shall or shall not do is a ploy of breathtaking impotence. It is not surprising that Irish men of letters have a harassed and pariah-like aspect and are inclined to think nobly of the future.

With the consent and enthusiasm of the British people, the democratic country of Great Britain, with a free press and free Parliament, has achieved a totalitarianism not far short of German. Many of them have a harassed and pariah-like aspect and are inclined to think nobly of the future.

Plums are generally used as pickles in Japan and almost every household has them.

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Dates and places of Saanich election meetings were handed to Saanich councillors at the regular meeting Tuesday night. One meeting in each of the wards for the week preceding the election will be held. The list follows:

Monday Dec. 8, Ward 1 meets at the C.C.F. Hall, Richmond Road, and Ward 3 meets at the Gordon Head School. Tuesday, Dec. 9, Ward 4 meets at the Macmillan gold Institute Hall and Ward 6 meets at the Keating Temperance Hall. Wednesday, Dec. 10, Ward 2 meets at St. Mark's Hall, Bole-skine Road, and the next night Ward 5 meets at the Royal Oak Community Hall. Friday, Dec. 12, Ward 7 meets at Hampton Hall. All meetings start at 8.

A. B. Norris, 2909 Richmond Road, announced Tuesday night he would run for police commissioner in Ward 1, Saanich. This will be his first attempt for office.

GEORGE MICHELL AGAIN PRESIDENT

George T. Michell was re-elected president of the North and South Saanich Agricultural Society at its annual meeting in the Pioneer Cabin at Saanichton.

The president was appointed delegate to the annual meeting of the B.C. Fairs Association.

Date of the 74th annual fair was lost in the hands of the incoming directorate.

J. M. Malcolm wrote tendering his resignation from the director-

ate and finance committee. By unanimous vote Mr. Malcolm was made honorary patron of the society.

In presenting his annual report, the president mentioned the outstanding success of the 73rd annual fair.

Officers of the society for 1942 follow: Honorary president, R. P. Butchart; president, George T. Michell; first vice-president, J. J. White; second vice-president, Alex McDonald; third vice-president, J. A. Nunn; secretary-treasurer, Stuart G. Stoddart; finance committee, Mrs. R. E. Nimmo, H. E. Burbridge; Willard W. Michell, A. Doney, E. J. T. Woodward; directors, A. W. Ayland, C. H. Borden, H. E. Burbridge, Frank Butler, W. G. Burch, Russell Crawford, Rev. Jos. J. Ryan, A. Calvert, Lieut. Ian Douglass, R.N.R., A. Doney, Capt. Nat Gray, V. E. L. Goddard, Capt. C. F. Gibson, D. H. Heyer, Councillor L. C. Hagan, Gavin Jack, George Little, Arthur Lock, W. J. H. Miller, W. D. Michell, Willard W. Michell, George W. Malcolm, Major A. D. Macdonald, H. W. Mahon, R. E. Nimmo, H. C. Oldfield, S. Pickles, A. N. Primeau, Ralph Rendle, R. V. Robinson, A. G. Smith, E. R. Snider, Frank Tanner, Jas. Turner, Ed J. T. Woodward, J. F. S. Clarke, George Nunn, R. C. Derrinberg.

Frank Butler was named haul and ground superintendent.

NANAIMO DEATH

NANAIMO (CP)—Michael Mihalech, 60, native of Slovakia and resident of nearby Extension and Ladysmith for 37 years, died here Tuesday. Mr. Mihalech, a miner, retired 10 years ago. He was a member of the National Slovakia Society. Mrs. T. D. Tamburri, Vancouver, is a daughter.

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British Labor Split Looms on Conscription

LONDON (CP)—The threat of a serious split in the Labor Party over the government's new conscription proposal was reported in parliamentary circles today as a large number of Labor Members of Parliament met behind locked doors to discuss the bill.

The reported split in opinion was over the question of conscription of property as well as manpower.

In the House of Commons, Henderson Stewart, National Liberal, accused the Labor Party of attempting to campaign "for Socialism in our time—wartime." He said, "they think it a heaven-sent opportunity to bring about something which in peacetime they failed to get the electorate to approve."

Prime Minister Churchill asked the House of Commons Tuesday for authority to draft 3,000,000 men for war services and to require women to join uniformed branches.

A royal proclamation was issued today giving effect to the first step in the Prime Minister's program—a summons of 70,000 youths 18½ years old for service in the armed forces. The previous minimum was 19.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT

Informed sources said many members of the Labor Party disapproved of the government's proposals and that there was wide support for an amendment signed by 30 M.P.'s for nationalization of private property.

Reports circulated of a heated discussion at the closed meeting. It was decided to reconvene Thursday for a vote on party procedure which might lead to a heavy negative vote in the Commons later or an agreement by the government to schedule full debate on the bill.

Some Labor members were said to feel strongly on the matter that they might break from the party leadership which is a part of the all-party government.

NATIONALIZATION OPPOSED

On the other side of the picture is strong opposition to further conscription of wealth or extension of nationalization.

Parliament members of that view contend the unprecedented income tax rate of 50 per cent already constitutes "conscription" of wealth to a large degree. They hold also that strict steps by the government to limit profits and increase production, as well as state requisitioning of buildings and restrictions of railway operations amount to government control.

The government's plan was viewed by almost every newspaper as an extension of determination to bring the country nearer the total war effort which critics claimed was lacking at present.

The plan is expected to be approved by Parliament within two weeks despite the developing opposition.

Morning newspapers were warm-in-praise of Mr. Churchill's statement to Parliament Tuesday of the government's plans, which include extension of the conscription age for military service to 50, increasing of the service age from 19 to 18½, conscription of unmarried women between the ages of 20 and 30 for noncombatant military service and registration of boys and girls between 16 and 18.

PRESS SUPPORTS CHURCHILL

"Britain's desire today is to finish the job it has begun and finish it quickly as possible," said the News Chronicle, which expressed belief the country will eagerly embrace the proposals.

"Most people realize the war can only be won quickly if British power is fully mobilized, and they have long been waiting an opportunity to make a great personal effort," the paper said.

"That opportunity for many is now at hand."

The Daily Telegraph said: "From each one of us more strenuous work and greater sacrifices are required. We are ordered forward to harder living that each and all may do the utmost in bringing the fully deployed strength of our country to beat down the enemy."

The Daily Express: "Men and women no longer are invited into this war effort of Britain. All of them must show cause why they are not in it already."

Foreign Dishes

For Our Menus

By MRS. GAYNOR MADDOX

Foreign dishes can seem just like "home folks" when altered slightly for our Canadian taste. From England, Sweden and Spain come these three low cost foods.

London Broil

One pound flank steak, ½ teaspoon salt, ¼ teaspoon pepper. Preheat the oven 10 minutes (about 450 to 500 degrees F.). Place the steak on a well-greased broiler. Broil first on one side and then on the other, allowing 6 minutes for each side. The surface of the steak should be from ½ to 2 inches below a high flame, the distance depending on the size and upon the rareness desired. Season and remove to hot platter. Carve diagonally against the grain. Serve with mushroom sauce.

Swedish Meat Balls

One pound lean ground beef, ½ pound raw ground pork, 2 tablespoons fine bread crumbs, juice of one large onion, 1 teaspoon salt, pepper, cayenne, 1 egg.

Put meat through food chopper 3 times, using fine blade. Add crumbs and onion juice, mix very thoroughly with hands, season with salt, pepper and cayenne. Add slightly beaten egg and mix well again. Form into small patties, brown in hot skillet and cook slowly until well done.

Spanish Rice

One cup rice, 4 tablespoons fat, 2 cups boiling salted water, 1 medium-sized onion, 1 small green pepper, one No. 2 can tomatoes.

Brown the rice in 2 tablespoons of the fat, add the water, and cook until the rice has absorbed most of it. Chop the onion and green pepper and cook for a few minutes in the rest of the fat. Add the tomatoes, season with salt and pepper, and add to the rice. Cook until the rice is tender.

TOMORROW'S MENU

Breakfast—Fruit bowl, crisp bacon, blueberry muffins, coffee, milk.

Luncheon—Spanish rice, buttered toast, stewed pears, cookies, tea, milk.

Dinner—London broil, French fried potatoes, Italian eggplant, lettuce and celery salad, lemon pie, coffee, milk.

Christmas Parties

Mrs. Dorothy Spurr Monday afternoon at the Y.W.C.A. met the Auxiliary Services Hospital committee to discuss, particularly, Christmas hospitality for men in the three services who will avail themselves of the open invitation extended to them for Christmas dinner or other Yuletide entertainment. Mrs. Spurr stressed the urgency of having explicit invitations from hostesses who would be ready to extend such hospitality, and hoped any such would register their names at once so that any men on the list might be notified immediately and make their Christmastime leave programs accordingly. Hostesses may register this week at Diggons' annex, Marionette Library, or, later, at the Y.W.C.A.

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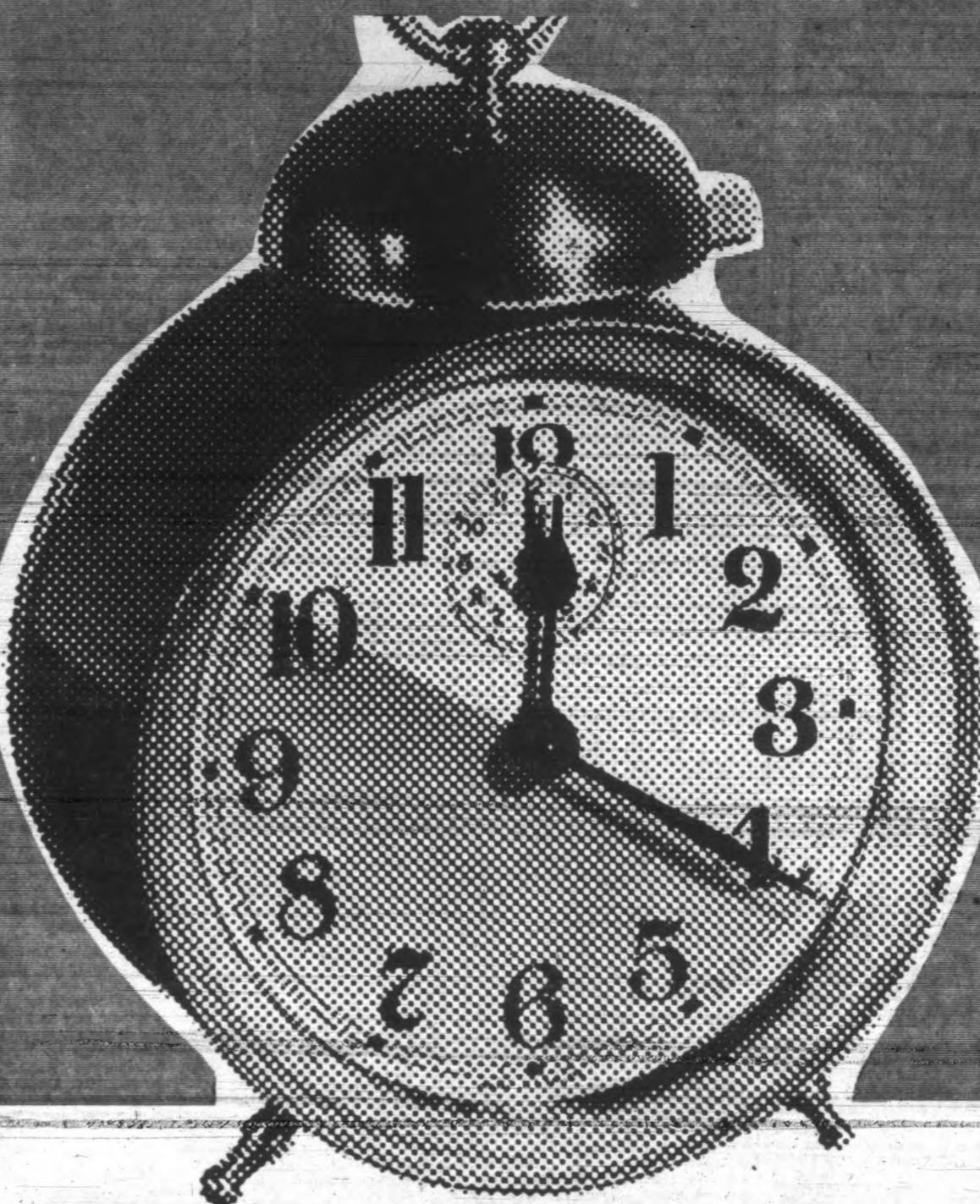
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Weddings

RORKE—NEWELL

This morning at St. Luke's Church, Cedar Hill, Rev. F. Pike, the rector, united in marriage Margaret, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Archibald Moxam, and widow of Lieut. D. E. T. Newell, R.N.R., to Lieut. W. Rorke, Calgary Highlanders, C.A., at present stationed at Gordon Head, and only son of Mr. O. W. Rorke, of Montreal, and Mrs. W. A. Diller of Woodstock, Ont. Owing to illness in the bride's family, only her mother and the bridegroom's mother were present at the ceremony. Lieut. Rorke and Mrs. Rorke left on the afternoon boat for Vancouver to spend their honeymoon on the mainland. They will later make their home in Victoria temporarily.

EVELEIGH—DERKSEN

At a quiet ceremony at St. Barnabas Church Saturday night Rev. A. Bischlicher united in marriage Freda Helene Derksen, Victoria, only daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Derksen, Halkirk Alta, and Mr. Gerald Charles Eveleigh, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Eveleigh, 527 Esquimalt Road, and Herd Road, Somesons, V.I.

The bride, who was given away by Mr. Eveleigh, wore a long pale pink sheer gown with high neck and bishop sleeves, her veil of pink net being gathered to the head with a coronet of Honiton lace and orange blossoms. Her only ornament was a string of pearls and she carried a bouquet of white chrysanthemums and pink carnations.

GIBBINS—CAIN
On Nov. 29 at the home of the officiating clergyman, Capt. Rev. G. A. Reynolds, Davie Street, the marriage of Margaret, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Cain, Niagara Street, to Fr. Frank Gibbins R.C.N.V.R., was quietly solemnized. The bride wore an afternoon frock in teal blue, with hat and other accessories in black and a corsage bouquet of white carnations and deep rosebuds.

She was attended by her sister, Miss Hazel Cain, who wore a black and white ensemble. Mr. Reginald Mann was best man. Following the marriage a reception was held for relatives and a few friends at the ceremony at 527 Esquimalt Road, the couple receiving their guests in front of a fireplace banked with ivy and ferns.

The bridegroom's mother, in dusty rose and wine ensemble, and his sister, Mrs. G. Cox, in navy blue and rose, assisted both having corsages of pink carnations. After the toast was proposed by Rev. A. Bischlicher, the bride cut the three-tiered cake which centred the supper table.

For a honeymoon on the mainland the bride changed to a rose wool frock with blue coat and accessories and a corsage of rose carnations. On their return Mr. and Mrs. Eveleigh will make their home at 527 Esquimalt Road.

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Spiritualists Plan Bazaar and Fair

Final arrangements for the annual bazaar to be held Saturday in the church hall, 714 Cormorant Street, under the auspices of the ladies of the Open Door Spiritualist Church, have been made. Rev. L. N. O'Connor of Vancouver will open the fete at 2:30.

A boon to early Christmas shoppers will be a white elephant stall with a variety of useful articles and fancy work and apron stalls. Afternoon tea with psychometry and card readings will also be offered. In the evening a country fair will be held, with many amusements planned.

Social and Personal

At the home of her mother, Mrs. C. Munro, 2630 Mount Stephen Avenue, Miss Jean Munro entertained Monday evening in honor of Miss Flossie Hughes, whose marriage takes place shortly. The occasion proved a friendly gathering of members of a bridge club which has been meeting since school days. Miss Hughes, who was presented on her arrival with a corsage bouquet of violets and small bronze chrysanthemums, was also the recipient of a pair of pottery candlesticks and a framed friendship motto. The guests assembled round the candle-lit supper table, with its centrepiece of bronze chrysanthemums, were, in addition to the hostess and her mother, Miss Hughes, Mesdames H. Adams, W. Hughes Jr., W. Barber, and the Misses Doreen Lougheed, Peggy Brindle and Jean Wilson.

St. Joseph's W.A. will not hold its monthly meeting Dec. 7 because of the Catholic Women's League bazaar on the same day. Next monthly meeting will take place Dec. 14.

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Victoria W.A. to the Air Serv-

ices met yesterday afternoon at the Y.W.C.A., Mrs. H. C. Mac-

Callum, the president, in the

skull. It was reported that 68

knitted articles were received and

31 seven articles had been sent

to the Red Cross. The next meet-

ing meeting will be held Jan. 20

at the home of Mrs. W. F. Pinfold,

20 Sylvan Lane. The doll's house

will be on display on the second

floor of the Hudson's Bay Com-

pany from Dec. 6 to 20, and will

be open daily.

The Ice Skating Arena, when the

winning ticket will be drawn and winner announced. The sum of

\$10 was voted for Christmas

treats for the W.T. station at

Gordon Head

Belmont United Church W.A. met recently at the home of Mrs. Owen, 1721 Davie Street, with the president, Mrs. Butler, in the chair. Mrs. Kerley was welcomed as a new member. Donations and finished work were brought in for the annual bazaar, to be held at the church Friday night at 8. The Christmas meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. A. Partlett, 1612 Gladstone Avenue, Dec. 9.

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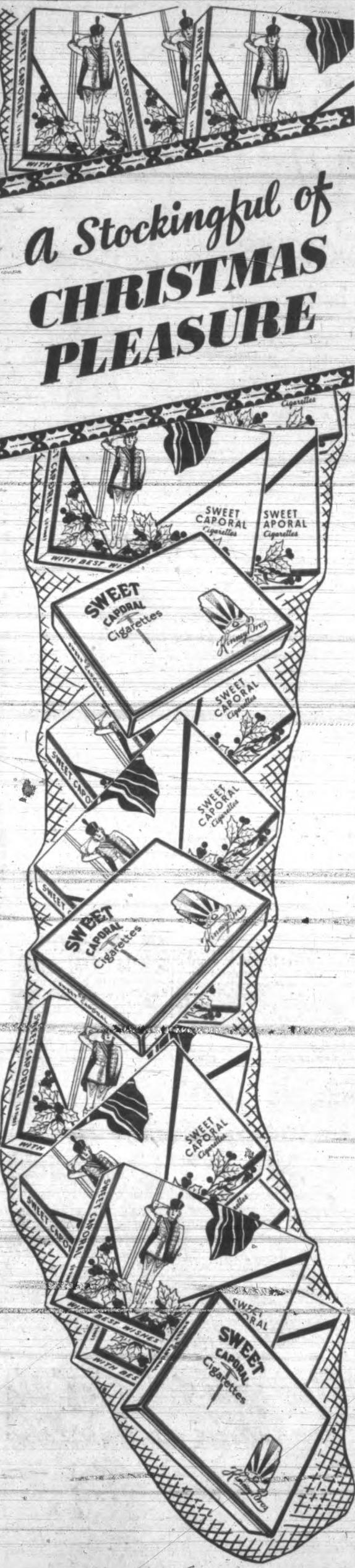
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Letters to the Editor

VITAMIN BI

Jane Stafford's article on the above in your paper seems authoritative, and I should be glad if one of your readers could tell us where in Victoria the bread she recommends could be obtained "enriched" with this particular vitamin.

W. D. MUNRO.
Colquitz.

NOT "P.J."

My attention has been drawn to a letter in last Monday night's issue of the Victoria Daily Times signed P. G. Sinnott, ex-sergeant 1st C.S.R., regarding some controversy concerning liquor supplied to the troops. As certain readers are under the impression that I was your correspondent in this case, I wish to point out that I did not write the letter, that I am not an ex-member of the 1st C.S.R., and am in no way interested in the controversy referred to.

P. J. SINNOTT.
423 Scoldard Building, 1207 Douglas Street.

TRUE OR FALSE?

There was a serious fire on Cook Street last Thursday night, involving the loss of life. Certain aspects of this accident, as I understand them, call for some explanation from the city authorities.

It was reported in the press that a street car ran over and cut one of the two hoses left down. Why were the police not on hand as soon as the fire engines arrived, to control traffic, and so to prevent such carelessness on the part of a B.C. Electric employee? Householders are entitled to adequate patrol by the police which would have prevented this delay in the fire-fighting.

Moreover, I am informed that the damaged house was left without any police protection after the fire department had done its work. Only the thoughtfulness of a neighbor, who telephoned for police supervision, prevented possible looting.

J. D. GRANT.
1446 Gladstone Avenue.

SAANICH SCHOOLS

In the forthcoming election of school trustees in Saanich, Hugh Francie and Mrs. R. Patterson have, as placards in their platform, the appointment of a Saanich school inspector and the betterment of the teachers' salaries. To many, the question between the appointment of a school inspector and the correction of present evils in Saanich schools, overcrowding, shifting pupils, etc., may not be apparent. However, the group of which I am a member, having given the matter a great deal of study, arrived at the conclusion that the school system is so large, and so complex, that to tackle it, it would be absolutely necessary to have some one in a full-time capacity to fully explore and finally achieve a complete picture of the whole problem. The Board of School Trustees would then have all the necessary facts at their disposal to enable them to arrive at intelligent decisions in the long-range plans to better schools in Saanich. A qualified school inspector serving Saanich alone is obviously the answer. It is absurd to impose the burden on the Board of School Trustees alone. They have their own living to make and cannot devote the enormous time and study necessary to fully explore the problems. Problems which involve the expenditure of close to \$100,000 annually are therefore extremely important.

M. P. PAINE.
336 Glasgow Avenue.

WAITING AT THE CHURCH

Mr. Leo Marston continues to render lip-service to truth while actually circulating notorious falsehoods. The only charitable explanation is that he suffers from the inability—constitutional or acquired—to distinguish one from the other.

He turns facts upside down, calls lies truth, and truth lies, and imagines he has proved his case. His method is reminiscent of the controversial contortions of "Hilarius Belloctus."

In his latest splurge he repeats the oft-exposed falsehood that the constitutionally elected People's Front government of Spain was an "athletic-communistic Moscow inspired body," and "did not represent the Spanish people."

I exposed this fable long ago, but he made no reply. Was he ordered to ignore my letters, as the Young "Simians" were—and did the orders come from the same source? It is time for Mr. Marston to "put up or shut up."

The People's Front won 267 out of 473 seats in the Cortes. (A majority of 61, afterwards increased to 81 by the adherence of the Basque Nationalists.) Of these 267 seats only 16 were won by Communists. From the date of the election, Feb. 16, until Sept. 4, nine weeks after Franco's insurrection began, there were no Communists in the Cabinet. These are indisputable facts, yet Mr. Marston continues to assert that

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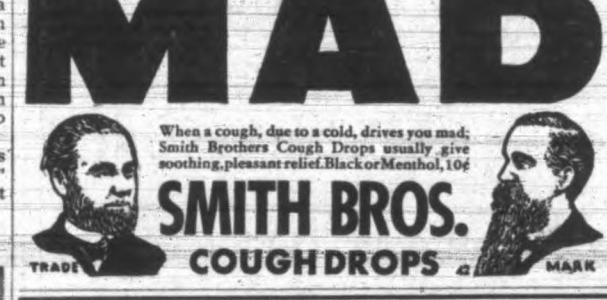
Annual meeting and election of officers of the Victoria Women's Institute will be held Friday at 2.30 p.m. at 1382 Esquimalt Road, Friday at 2.30.

Women's auxiliary to the R.C.O.C. will meet at the home of Mrs. J. N. Gibson, 1382 Esquimalt Road, Friday at 2.30.



Victoria District Housewives' Robertson, secretary, Trades and League will meet at 738 Fort Street, Friday, at 2.30. Mr. J.

Marston, president, will speak on the recent act regarding the freezing of wages.



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'38 Buick	1125	995	'37 Nash, as is	850
'38 De Soto	1050	950	'37 Studebaker	850
'37 Oldsmobile			'38 Hudson	650
'37 '90'	1095	950	'38 Essex	150
'39 Chevrolet	995	895	'29 Nash	175
'38 Chevrolet	975	895	'28 W. Knight	125
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De Luxe	895	825	'37 Ford	785
'38 Chevrolet	895	825	'32 Pontiac	295
'39 Chevrolet	895	850	'38 Pontiac	395
'38 Ford De Luxe	875	795	'29 Essex	95

COACHES

	Regular Price	Surprise Price	Regular Price	Surprise Price
'40 Chevrolet	\$1075	\$995	'38 Chevrolet	\$895
'39 Ford Tudor	825	795	'37 Chevrolet	825
De Luxe	950	895	'34 Oldsmobile	595
'37 Chevrolet	875	795	'29 Pontiac	145

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TOMATO JUICE—Campbell's; a healthy appetizer; 16-oz. tins	3 for 27c
APRICOTS, Aylmer, serve with whipped cream for a tasty dessert; 16-oz. tins	16c
PEACHES, Royal City, juicy ripe fruit, 15-oz. tins	2 for 31c
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PICKLES, Heinz fresh cucumber, large, juicy, tender; halves, 16-oz. tin	18c
ASSORTED SOUPS—Clark's; a delightful variety of soups for those cold days; 3 tins	23c
ORANGE MARMALADE — Aymer; serve on hot buns at breakfast; 32-oz. jar	29c
ASSORTED MEAT PASTES — Heublein's; for tasty sandwiches; 3 tins	26c
CORNER BEEF — Clark's; all good meat, no bone, no waste; 16-oz. tin	23c
PORK AND BEANS — Royal City; 15-oz. can	3 for 23c
SPORK—Burns; a deliciously spiced meal; 12-oz. tin	29c

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ASSORTED GLACE FRUITS—In attractive trays, cellophane wrapped, each	40c 75c 1.50
CRYSTALLIZED GINGER — In gift packets; each	17c 40c 80c
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SEEDED RAISINS — Sunmaid, 15-oz. basket	20c
ASSORTED RAISINS — Sunmaid, California; 15-oz. basket	17c
TABLE RAISINS — Robert Cluster; 1-lb. pkc	40c

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BUTTERMILK FLAVORED	19c
per lb.	
SALTED PEANUTS—Fresh Spanish, lb.	17c
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MINCEMEAT TARTS — They're delicious served hot; per doz.	40c
MINCEMEAT PIES—Per doz.	25c
DARK FRUIT CAKE — With thick almond paste and decorated, lb.	55c
CELERY—Choice crisp, head	5c and 10c
CARROTS and TURNIPS—No. 1 large	3 bunches 10c
tomatoes—No. 1 large	25c

SUNKIST ORANGES

30c, 40c, 45c and 60c doz.	
LEMONS—Bunches; doz.	25c and 35c
GRAPEFRUIT—Tems	10c
orange; 2 for 25c; 4 for 25c	
5 for 25c	

CHERRIES—Fancy	35c
Cape Cod; lb.	
PEARS—Fancy D'Anjou; large basket	45c

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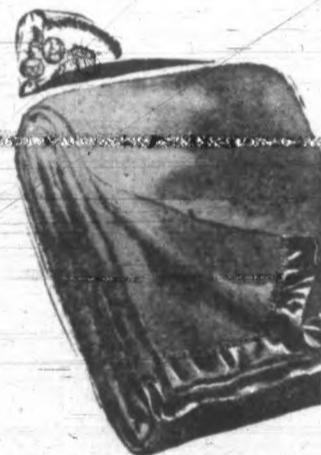
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Liberals Vote for Coalition 477 to 312 Hart Succeeds Pattullo as Liberal Chief

By J. K. NESBITT
Staff Representative
VANCOUVER

John Hart, ex-finance minister, was unanimously chosen leader of the B.C. Liberal Association at the convention in Vancouver Tuesday night.

Selection of the white-haired veteran politician came two hours after the convention voted 477 to 312 in favor of a coalition resolution which Premier T. D. Pattullo had vigorously opposed.

The delegates voted at 5 in the afternoon and adjourned for dinner while the ballot was being counted.

At 7.30, to a tensely-excited hall, E. M. Whyte of Victoria, chairman of the credentials committee, announced the result.

A minute later the Premier, who had stoically heard the result, which practically will end his political career, said: "You have given your verdict, which I accept. But you must remember you are now no longer Liberals — you are coalitionists. I cannot allow my name to be submitted to the convention in any capacity whatsoever. I have so decided because I accept your verdict."

It was a dramatic second, in which there was absolute silence, as Mr. Pattullo stepped down from the platform, waving his right hand and saying, "Goodbye, boys and girls." There was sadness, too, as some former cabinet ministers held their heads in their hands and gazed at the floor as their chief for so long walked away.

Then bellows broke loose, and the Premier was given a tremendous ovation as he made his way to the door. His supporters rushed up to shake his hand. One particularly erratic woman, who had spoken for the Premier in the afternoon, grabbing the hat off her head, said loudly, "I think that's the dirtiest thing that has ever been done — they just cut his head off."

An elderly man said, "Thank God he's gone — he's a dictator."

Premier Planning Orderly Opening

As he left the hall the Premier remarked he had much to do concerning the opening of the Legislature, indicating he will still face the House as Premier and take his chances there. The House to be orderly on Thursday.

The convention then proceeded to pass resolutions pledging loyalty to the Mackenzie King government, asking free transportation for men in uniform, higher old age pensions, and establishment of a committee to look into postwar rehabilitation of soldiers.

When this business was complete, ex-Labor Minister George Pearson moved the convention choose Mr. Hart as its permanent leader. Ex-Province Secretary Education Minister George M. Weir seconded the resolution and it carried without a dissenting vote.

"The circumstances are not happy that make it necessary for us to choose a new leader for this party," Mr. Pearson said. "But I've no doubt there is no one more suited to Liberal leadership than John Hart."

Dr. Weir said, "Mr. Hart, we believe, is the most acceptable to the greatest number of divergent groups."

A call was sent for Mr. Hart and he walked from the back of the hall, while most of the delegates rose and applauded him as he made his way to the platform.

Had No Aspirations For Leadership

"I feel this party is in some what of a mix-up," Mr. Hart said in accepting, "especially when you find our good Premier and myself separated." He said leadership of the Liberal Party in this province "was an office to which I never aspired, because the Premier and others knew that my aspirations were away from the province of British Columbia altogether." (A reference to the Senate, to which it was expected Mr. Hart would be named. His selection by the Liberals precludes this possibility for some time).

Liberalism in the future, Mr. Hart said, must not be merely a middle-of-the-road party, but it must be streamlined and revitalized to meet changing conditions and the needs of the time. After the war, he said, there must be social security for young and old alike.

"As far as I am concerned I shall give the best that is in me to rehabilitate and revitalize and rejuvenate the grand old Liberal

Province's Next Premier?



JOHN HART

Party," Mr. Hart said as he sat down to cheer.

At the afternoon session, speaking to the coalition resolution were practically all the cabinet ministers and ex-ministers with the exception of Hon. Frank Putnam and Hon. W. J. Asselstine. There were few speakers from Victoria. It was understood Greater Victoria voted practically 100 per cent in favor of Pattullo. The split came in Vancouver, Langford and in some of the up-country districts.

Byron Johnson, former M.L.A. for Victoria, moving the coalition resolution, said nothing was more important now than that the people of British Columbia should stand together in time of national crisis, that the C.C.F. and the Conservatives should work to cooperate.

Capt. C. R. Bull, defeated Liberal from South Okanagan, reminded the convention the C.C.F. polled more votes than the Liberals. A minority government in wartime would be a makeshift affair, in time of war even more so.

Roy Hunter of Nelson said coalition would ruin the Liberal party. Charles A. Donovan of Vancouver East favored head of the strongest party (Liberals) as Premier.

Farr for Pattullo
Feared Hysteria

Professor E. S. Farr, defeated Liberal in Oak Bay, came out definitely against coalition. The resolution, he said, was undemocratic; there was great danger of hysteria because of Liberal disappointment on election day. The young people of the province, he said, would look with suspicion on any joining of Liberals and Conservatives — this marriage of convenience and I predict it will not last before the honeymoon is over."

The party of Laurier and of Oliver hasn't yet ended its chapter or pulled down the curtain, he said.

P. J. Lloyd of Vancouver said if the Premier and the cabinet had not strayed too far from the people there would be no C.C.F. today.

J. A. McDougall of Vancouver said "this is not the time for the decapitation of Duff Pattullo — it is a time for the redefinition of the Liberal party."

D. K. C. MacDonald, ex-Agriculture Minister, said he resigned from the cabinet merely because he put the welfare of British Columbia first.

Mrs. M. G. Oliver, president of the Women's Liberal Association of B.C., said she thought 21 Liberal members were equal to all the rest of the members put together.

John Hart said, "If we try to run a minority government this province will default for the first time in its history." If another election is called, Mr. Hart said, "there will not be a handful of Liberals returned."

Public Works Minister Tom King more or less favored coalition. said he entered the government because he believed government business had to be carried

'Coalition Means Finish Of Liberals' — Pattullo

By Staff Representative
VANCOUVER

Premier Pattullo, usually a polite man and the soul of courtesy and tact when he's on a public platform, wasn't a bit polite when he addressed the Liberal convention.

One by one he took on his enemies — deposed cabinet ministers — and let them have it. He told his story in detail and he wasn't modest. He was a pretty fine fellow and if everyone didn't know it they should. People called him a dictator, he said. Why, that was funny — George Pearson was just as much a dictator — he wanted to infringe on the prerogative of the Premier when it came to naming cabinet ministers.

Dr. MacDonald, the Premier said, talked out of turn — he should have consulted his leader before talking on election night. The Premier annoyed the ex-agriculture minister that Dr. MacDonald jumped to his feet in his own defense. The Premier silenced him, told him not to interrupt.

He took a wallop at John Hart. When Mr. Hart resigned, said the Premier, his voice ringing with challenge, B.C. bonds didn't drop one iota.

"They must have confidence in me," he sang out and the "in" was a capital one. "The financiers know me well."

He took a dig at Norman Whittaker, too. When Whittaker quit, said the Premier, he could have asked His Honor for dissolution. Dr. Weir, he said, gave the convention a nice thesis, but he intimated there wasn't much of the truth in it.

"It's Fiddle"

In Life's Evening

"I'll be 69 next month," he roared, and his voice was strong and full of life, "and I'm feeling as fit as a fiddle." And the whole convention cheered loudly. Certainly the Premier looked fit as a fiddle.

Then he went back to coalition. Coalition, he said, would disrupt the Liberal party, there would be a distinct cleavage. It would undermine the federal government.

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He spoke about oil in the Peace River, one of his favorite topics, and his child.

"Only we struck oil we wouldn't be here today," he cracked, meaning of course he returned the Liberal party with an enormous majority. But, he warned, if coalition were through with them, they were Tories. In the government, it wouldn't be any time before private companies were drilling in the Rockies, and this natural resources would be sold to the people of British Columbia. This made a big hit and the convention, evidently more radical than you'd think, cheered "Duff" for his championship of the Liberal party would start down hill and it wouldn't come up for carry on.

Of the Premier he said "he gives him a chance," adding he would, however, support any leader chosen by the convention.

Against Coalition

W. G. Forester, defeated Liberal in Vancouver-Burrard, came out strongly in favor of Premier Pattullo and against coalition.

Hon. C. S. Leary, Minister of Mines, Trade and Industry, said he was absolutely loyal to his chief, that there had been no call for coalition except by the newspapers. He said he could not see what was to be gained by the resolution favoring coalition.

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John C. S. Leary, Minister of Mines, Trade and Industry, said he was one of the bad boys of the party. But, he said, he is definitely in favor of coalition in B.C. for the war's duration. Liberals, he said, presumed they are the most democratic party in the province, but the Premier had shown by his attitude he would not accept the wishes of people.

He said he pointed out to the Premier that the Liberal Party no longer represented a majority of the people of the province. The Premier, however, refused to call a meeting of the Liberal executive to discuss the matter with this cabinet. That, he said, was certainly not democratic. It would be difficult, he said he realized, for the C.C.F. to join a coalition, but they should be given an opportunity. Above all things, Mr. Pearson said, there should not be another election, it would be resented by the people, and if one was held, the Liberal would be at the bottom.

"Let's try a real Liberal Party for once," he said. "We haven't got a Liberal Party yet. As I said to the Premier, no government can hope to last that doesn't go very much farther than the Liberals have done."

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More than seven persons in every 10 declared the measure had their approval. Only one person in 14, on the average, said he was undecided or without an opinion on the question: an extremely low "no opinion" vote.

Comments from the survey indicate that, by and large, these

Still Premier of B.C.



HON. T. D. PATTULLO

a generation. Never again would it be a force in British Columbia.

There is a large body of opinion in the Liberal party that is radical, he said, and those people would go C.C.F. Delegates shouted at the Premier at this point, that he was all wet.

"Maybe that's what you think now," replied Mr. Pattullo, "but you'll find I'm absolutely right."

He said he stood alone before, although he felt he was not alone now, and "I've never forsaken the troops, no matter what they did to me."

Delegates were given 10 minutes to speak. Mr. Pattullo had spoken maybe five when Dr. Knox interrupted to ask the convention if it would give the Premier all the time he wanted. The meeting said yes. The Premier looked amazed that anyone could question his right to speak as long as he desired. He even said so. After all his years as Liberal leader it never occurred to him for one moment that he would be confined to 10 minutes. He spoke about being in the evening of his life.

**Courage Lacking,
Should Have Stayed**

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Cheers for Premier As He Concludes

The Premier started to sit down. He got another ovation, the ornate gold and blue Aztec ballroom of Hotel Georgia, packed with perspiring humanity cheered him to the echo. Here, it is said, an ovation at a political convention means not a thing. Just before you hang or electrocute a man you give him a good meal.

However, before the cheers

subsided, the Premier was on his feet again. He had forgotten something.

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Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

HOCKEY RAILBIRDS are already talking about the possibility of arranging an exhibition game or series between the Victoria Bapco of the intercity circuit and the Royal Canadian Navy squad of the Services League. The Jack Tars, in their two appearance to date, have really impressed the fans and they would like nothing better than to see Victoria's two ranking ice squads square off against one another.

The suggestion has been put forth the clubs meet in a game with the net proceeds to be turned over to some war charity. It sounds like a good idea but it is not likely the game will be possible until the new year or until Bapco complete their regular league schedule. The Victoria intercity club has its eyes set on that league championship and is not keen about taking any unnecessary chances of having its players injured in any exhibition game.

The game would prove a natural from the standpoint of fan interest. It is certain the rink would be jammed to the limit for such a game. The boys in blue would turn out in force to support their favorites while the civilians would be well represented, as the game would certainly produce hockey of the finest calibre. Both are might smart clubs and we would rate them awfully close to all-even and take your choice.

Spitfires Win Again Whip Nanaimo 5 to 2

NEW WESTMINSTER (CP)—New Westminster Spitfires have extended their unbeaten streak to six consecutive games, defeating Nanaimo Clippers 5 to 2 here Tuesday night for their fifth straight Pacific Coast Amateur Hockey League victory.

Spitfires, who earned a tie in the espn game which they did not win since the new four-team loop opened less than a month ago, were leading the league with 11 points, five more than the second-place Victoria Bapco. Clippers are in third place with Vancouver Norvans holding cellar position. Spitfires' meet Bapco in Victoria Friday night.

Nanaimo opened the scoring in the second period after a scoreless opening frame with Nick Smith finding the net on a solo effort.

Spitfires started a scoring spree five minutes later when Art Forrest counted with Ed Trites and Downey assisting in the play. Ken Hall sent New Westminster into a 2 to 1 lead two minutes later and Trites sank two more shots before the end of the period.

Downey scored for Spitfires before the final period was a minute old to give the New Westminster team a 5 to 1 advantage.

A five-man rush by Clippers resulted in a goal by Don Stan-

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Ships Convoyed By Kearny Hit

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States navy disclosed today, in an official report to the Senate naval affairs committee, that a number of merchant ships were damaged and some were sunk on the night of Oct. 16-17 during the north Atlantic battle with German submarines in which the destroyer Kearny was torpedoed.

Answering a series of written questions propounded by Chairman Walsh (Dem., Mass.), Admiral Harold R. Stark, chief of naval operations, said that while the number and nationalities of the merchant ships damaged and sunk could not be given for military reasons, no United States merchant flag ship was sunk at that time.

Admiral Stark said that, in line with the directions laid down by President Roosevelt in his radio address of Sept. 11, the navy was co-operating with other powers in protecting merchant shipping in American defence waters.

"Do American naval vessels now escort merchant ships to their final destinations?" Walsh asked.

"Since a categorical reply or a discussion on this might jeopardize the safety of a great many ships, no answer can be given," was Stark's reply.

The chief of naval operations said the Kearny, which limped safely to port despite a torpedo hit amidships which almost tore her apart, had dropped depth charges in an engagement which lasted 2 hours and 53 minutes before she was struck.

"Was the submarine which torpedoed the Kearny fired upon? If so, by whom, and is it probable that the submarine was sunk or damaged?" Walsh asked.

"In accordance with the announced policy of the Navy Department," Admiral Stark replied, "questions of this nature will not be answered."

Alice Out of Dock

After drydocking at Esquimalt, S.S. Princess Alice is back at her berth in the Inner Harbor today. The overhaul of the steamer is expected to resume for some days.

In the meantime, the Princess Victoria is maintained at Esquimalt.

Egg Prices

These prices are obtained daily from the office of the Dominion Government Price Control Inspection Service, Victoria. Garden eggs, 1 lb., 25c; onions, December 2: 2c. Eggs per dozen delivered, cases returned: Grade A large, 28c; Grade A medium, 28c; Grade A small, 28c; Grade A pullets, 28c. Wholesale to retail: Grade A large, 28c; Grade A medium, 28c; Grade A small, 28c; Grade A pullets, 28c.

Crew Rescued As Vessel Breaks Up

PORTE ORFORD, Ore. (AP) — The 604-ton coastal freighter Willapa, bound from Marshfield, Ore., to San Francisco with lumber, sprang a leak last night and went ashore south of here. The Port Orford coastguard rescued all 24 members of her crew. Two crew men were slightly injured. The rescue was made with a motor lifeboat.

Guardsmen said they were summoned to the disabled ship by flares about 9 p.m., but lost the hull in the darkness and did not pick it up again until early this morning. By that time the Willapa's bridge had washed away, she had lost her deck cargo and was being driven around 20 miles south of here.

The guardsmen picked up most of the crew members from the water. The Willapa went on the beach about two hours later and was reported to be breaking up under the pounding of the surf.

The Willapa was owned by the Hart-Wood Lumber Company of San Francisco. Her master, Oscar Peterson of Marshfield, was uninjured.

Committee Too Slow

VANCOUVER

The great Liberal convention in Vancouver, with 794 voting delegates, one of the largest in the province's history, moved smoothly all day. There wasn't a hitch until the last minute. Then an amusing event took place.

George Pearson and Dr. G. M. Weir had moved and seconded a motion of John Hart as leader of the party. The convention chose him. Mr. Hart had made his acceptance speech and sat down.

President Dr. W. J. Knox said Herbert W. Davey of Victoria had something to say.

Mr. Davey rushed in from the resolution committee's ante-room.

He went to the platform, and read his resolution, which said that, because of the action of the Premier, he desired that the Liberal party was now vacant.

Everyone in the hall looked surprised, there was suppressed laughter; Mr. Hart looked down-right amazed; Mr. Davey didn't understand why his quite ordinary resolution should be so received, but he kept on reading.

Not until he stepped down from the platform did it become apparent what had happened.

While the resolutions committee was working at top speed, framing the resolution asking selection of Mr. Hart, Mr. Pearson and Dr. Weir and the delegates overseas.



CAPT. T. W. HALL



LIEUT. J. O. HALL

Having both been on active service since the outbreak of war, Capt. T. W. and Lieut. J. O. Hall, sons of Sgt. and Mrs. Thomas Hall, 925 Balmoral Road, are now overseas with the Canadian forces. Capt. Hall was formerly attached to the warden's office at the B.C. Penitentiary. Lieut. Hall left the provincial police to join the army. Sgt. Hall is a well-known member of the city police force.



SGT. H. T. JOHNSON has arrived overseas with the 5th Armored Division, according to word received by his parents, Lieut. and Mrs. W. D. Johnson, 117 Lampson Street. Sgt. Johnson is attached to the Canadian Dental Corps and has been stationed at Camp Borden for the past three months.



Signalman Edwin V. Johnson, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Johnson, 928 Hereward Road, is in England with the Fifth Armored Division, according to word received by his parents. Ed. was born in Victoria, receiving his education at Victoria West and Victoria High Schools. At the outbreak of war he was employed in the Provincial Board of Health in the Vital Statistics Department.

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had completed the job, quite unknown to the committee.

"Why doesn't somebody tell me these things?" moaned Mr. Davey, and members of the committee were justifiably annoyed.

Foreign Exchange

NEW YORK (AP) — Official Canadian Control Board rates for U.S. dollars, buying 10 per cent premium, selling 11 per cent premium, equivalent to discounts on Canadian dollars in New York of buying 9.91 per cent, selling 9.99 per cent.

Canadian dollars in New York open market 11½ per cent discount or 88.50 U.S. cents.

Europe—Great Britain, official Bankers' Foreign Exchange Committee rates, buying \$4.02, selling \$4.04 open market. Cables \$4.04.

NEW YORK (AP)—Bay silver 23½d, unchanged. (Equivalent \$2.62 cents.)

NEW YORK YAPI—Cooper, steady; electrolytic spot, Conn. Valley, 12.00. Zinc, steady; spot, New York, 5.85. Lead, steady; spot, East St. Louis, spot and forward, 6.25.

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New York Stocks

NEW YORK (AP) — The stock market tried for further recovery today but achieved only partial success because steels and rails, leaders of Tuesday's spirited advance were held back by profit selling.

After the carriers and steels lost rising momentum interest shifted to an assortment of chemical and heavy industry shares and these picked up gains running from fractions to around 2 points. There was more tax loss selling in low-priced issues.

Quotations were mixed at the close with advances predominating. Dealings totaled about 1,100,000 shares.

Stocks in demand, brokers reported, including some which were regarded by the bidders as "out of line" with the general price level on the basis of estimated earnings for 1941. The brighter news pictures of the last few days, covering labor situation and foreign events, tended to support a mild degree of optimism in speculative circles.

Stocks carrying plus marks included American Can, Al Reduction, Union Carbide, DuPont, Allied Chemicals, Johns-Manville, Eastman, Harvester, United Aircraft, Sperry, American Smelting, Standard Oil (N.J.) and Consolidated Edison.

Among those lacking rallying vigor were Montgomery-Ward, Douglas, American Telephone, Pennsylvania, Southern Pacific and Great Northern Pfd. Bonds were uneven.

By H. A. Number Ltd.)
Dow Jones averages closed today as follows:

30 industrials...116.65, up 0.08

20 rails...27.49, up 0.01

20 utilities...15.98, up 0.21

Total sales 1,000,000.

Closing Bid Asked

Alcan Steel...80 100

Alcoa...17 130

Bathurst B...2 215

Brewers and Distillers...2 215

Borden and Dominion Sugar...21 31

Canada Malting...37 45

Canadian Vicker...12 15

Canadian Breweries...100 120

United Steel...5 35

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OUR BOARDING HOUSE, with Major Hoople



OUT OUR WAY



By Williams

Uncle Ray

Runners Equal Skaters' 100-yard Record

When we see a speed skater zooming across the ice we may think he is going very fast. So he is, from one point of view, but it may seem he is going much faster than he really is.

The world's fastest skater could barely keep up with the world's fastest runner for a distance of 100 yards.

In 1923 Charles Jewtraw set up a 100-yard record in speed skating on Lake Placid, in New York. He covered the distance in nine and four-tenths seconds. That appears to be the best official record made on this continent.

Two American runners have covered 100 yards in nine and four-tenths seconds. They are Frank Wykoff and Jesse Owens. Such is the story for a distance of 100 yards. For longer distances the skater can make better time.

A world's champion runner may cover a mile in four minutes and seven seconds. The same distance can be covered by a champion speed skater in three minutes or a bit less. Charles Thunberg skated a mile at Lake Placid in two minutes and 38 seconds back in 1923.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



Boots and Her Buddies



By Martin

Wash Tubs



By Roy Crane

Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

DEAR MISS DIX—My wife and I are, I believe, as nice a couple

As America can produce; sober, ambitious, loyal and law-abiding. We have been married more than 25 years and love each other dearly, but lately our tempers and moods seem to have got beyond control. We work together in the same store and we have to take plenty in order to earn our living, not so much from the boss as from the public, and it's ruthless. We have to deal with all kinds of people in every walk of life and they do not spare our feelings. So when night comes our nerves are all shattered and the awful thing is that when my wife says the least harsh thing to me I fly into a tantrum and create a scene. I beg her to restrain her words and be very careful of what she says, and to allow our nerves to settle before we discuss any problem, but she forgets and makes some criticism and I forget myself and wallow in a terrible temper. No one who has not worked in a store can realize the horrors the average public puts upon the sales people. But what can we do about it, for we must work to live?

APPRECIATIVE.

Answer: Nothing. I am afraid, unless you can acquire a more philosophic outlook upon your tormentors and realize that they are not stabbing at you with a deliberate desire to hurt you personally, but just mindlessly hitting out at everyone because their own nerves are as frayed and raw as yours are.

As I was saying, if you just let go of your job, I guess it would be just jumping out of the frying pan into the fire and you would be thrown in contact with other people just as thoughtless and rude and inconsiderate as the ones you meet daily now. As Kipling says: "We are all tied on the same heel; rope."

DOROTHY DIX.

Today's Crossword Puzzle



HORIZONTAL

- 1, 2 Pictured 47 Personality.
- 4 Music note.
- 50 Continent.
- 10 Also.
- 11 Peanut. 52 Notary public (abbr.).
- 12 Encountered. 53 Make a mistake.
- 14 Within. 55 Forlorn.
- 16 Road (abbr.). 56 Epistle (abbr.).
- 17 Etc. 57 State of equality.
- 18 Terra firma.
- 19 Observed. 58 Dim.
- 20 Seven-Thirty Joe! 45 Presently.
- 21 Radio.
- 22 46 Symbol for iron.
- 23 Venture.
- 24 47 Patriotic song.
- 25 Frog-like reptile. 48 Strike.
- 26 Egyptian sun god. 49 Sprite.
- 27 Father. 50 Close by.
- 28 Symbol for iron.
- 29 Evolve.
- 30 Gun. 51 Male.
- 31 Tramway. 52 Canines.
- 32 Conjunction. 53 Compactness.
- 34 Pipes. 54 Promissory note (abbr.).
- 35 Snakes. 55 Bristle.
- 36 Running knot. 56 Terra firma.
- 37 Gun source of light.
- 38 Pipe. 57 Neither.
- 39 Devil's Tower (Wyoming). 58 He also wrote America."
- 40 Source of light. 59 Fish.
- 41 Hair dye.
- 42 Spiritual attendant.
- 43 Foam.
- 44 Chills.
- 45 Pace.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

DEVIL'S TOWER	RELENTLESS PAN
RELENTLESS PAN	STRAINED ASSISTANT
STRAINED ASSISTANT	ELATION METEORIC
ELATION METEORIC	RAID POSES METAMORPHOSIS
RAID POSES METAMORPHOSIS	TELADINUM
TELADINUM	EMITTED
EMITTED	ABALONE
ABALONE	NINECAVALIER
NINECAVALIER	FIGELLE
FIGELLE	SITEERIS
SITEERIS	SHANTEAMED
SHANTEAMED	ABROAD CALMED
ABROAD CALMED	BRYCE CANYON

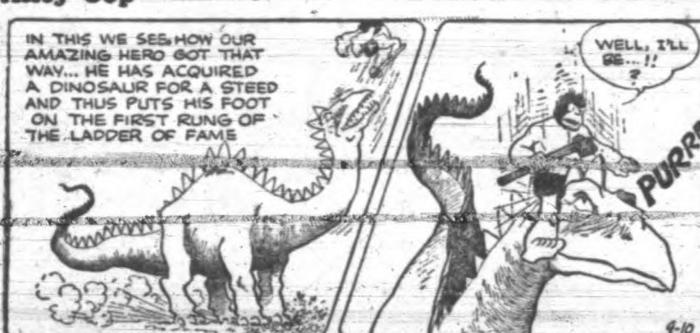
cussed in an article published in the semi-monthly periodical, United States Naval Institute Proceedings.

The little Norwegian island is located in the Greenland area northeast of Iceland and about halfway between that north Atlantic outpost and Spitsbergen, so that in addition to serving as an air patrol base it might also furnish a refueling base for

ferrying planes to Archangel, Russia.

The article was written by J. Raymond Dyer, an airline attorney, Arctic traveler and student of naval affairs. He said that Jan Mayen, which he described as having an excellent natural airport, would be available to this country through agreement with the Free Norwegian government in London.

Alley Oop



By V. T. Hamlin

Freckles and His Friends



By Merrill Blosser

Bringing Up Father



By George McManus
U.S. AIR BASE IN ARCTIC PROPOSED

WASHINGTON (AP) — Establishment of a new United States air base on the Arctic island of Jan Mayen in the far north Atlantic was proposed today to checkmate any German attempts to set up bases on the east coast of Greenland.

The strategic advantages of occupying Jan Mayen were dis-

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SUNKIST, FULL OF JUICE

2 lbs. 19¢

GRAPEFRUIT

TEXAS, BRIMMING WITH JUICE

4 lbs. 25¢

BANANAS

GOLDEN RIPE, MEDIUM SIZE

2 lbs. 21¢

POTATOES

MERRITT GEMS, GOOD BAKERS

10 lb. shopping bag 25¢

CAULIFLOWER

LOCAL, SNOW-WHITE HEADS

2 1/2 lbs. 21¢

ONIONS

OKANAGAN No. 1

6 lbs. 25¢

CARROTS

TENDER, WASHED

4 lbs. 11¢

CHOCOLATE

Baker's Premium,

8-oz. pkg. each 18¢

STARCH

Canada Corn,

16-oz. pkg. each 10¢

FRUIT SALAD

Libby's,

12-oz. can. 21¢

each 15¢

each 15¢

NIBLETS

Del Matz,

12-oz. tins. 2 for 25¢

SOUP

AYLMER, Tomato or Vegetable.

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PEAS

SUGAR BELLE, Sieve 3

2 for 25¢

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BERRYLAND. 16-oz. tin

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ROASTS OR
MINCED, lb.** 24¢**RUMP
ROASTS lb.** 24¢**Shell Bone
Roasts, lb.** 29¢**VEAL****LEGS . . . lb.** 18¢
SHOULDERS, lb. 15¢
CHOPS . . . lb. 18¢**LAMB****LEGS . . . lb.** 28¢
SHOULDERS, lb. 18¢
Chops, lb. 25¢ and 35¢**COTTAGE
ROLLS, lb.** 33¢**PICKLES**
Family Circle,
sweet mixed, 27-oz. jar. 27¢**PAPER NAPKINS**
Old Irish,
white or colored, pkg. 10¢**WAX PAPER**
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100-foot roll. 16¢**KLEENEX**
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16-oz. tin. 45¢**Baking Supplies****CITRON** PEEL, sliced,
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Graham Wafers 20¢

Ormond's, 16-oz. Cellophane pkg.

Beef Stew 16¢

Burns', 16-oz. tin.

BOILED CIDER 15¢

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Large pkg.

CHIPSO 23¢

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